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SUBJ: NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE AND TALKS ON DONAU PARK - NZZ'S

8/14-15 ARTICLE QUOTING GOS FONMIN AS STATING THAT "ONLY UN  
AGENCIES BASED IN NEW YORK WOULD GO TO VIENNA".

REF: (A) GENEVA 6552, (B) USUN 3196, (C) VIENNA 6574, (D) BERN  
3559, (E) STATE 198326

1. POL/ECON COUNS CALLED IN TODAY AUGUST 16 BY MINISTER POMETTA,  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION DIVISION, FEDERAL  
POLITICAL DEPT, WHO WISHED TO ASSURE USG THAT FONMIN  
GRABER HAD BEEN MISQUOTED BY THE 8/15-15 NEUE ZURICHER ZEITUNG  
ON THIS SUBJECT. ACCORDING TO NZZ, GRABER SAID QUOTE ONLY UN  
AGENCIES BASED IN NEW YORK WOULD GO TO VIENNA UNQUOTE. WHAT  
HE ACTUALLY SAID WAS QUOTE A DECISION ON THE TRANSFER OF CERTAIN  
UN ORGANIZATIONS TO VIENNA COULD ONLY COME FROM NEW YORK UNQUOTE.  
HE ADDED THAT THERE WAS NO REASON WHY SOCIOPOLITICAL OR  
SCIENTIFIC ORGANIZATIONS COULD NOT BE TRANSFERRED TO VIENNA.

2. QUOTATION WAS BASED ON AN AUSTRIAN PRESS AGENCY

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INTERVIEW OF KREISKY, AUSTRIAN FONMIN BIELKA AND GRABER

FOLLOWING THE SALZBURG MEETINGS OF AUGUST 12-13. POMETTA SAID THE DISCUSSION OF THE DONAU PARK ISSUE WAS AT A VERY GENERAL LEVEL. SHE READ FROM THE GOS BRIEFING PAPER WHICH REITERATED THE OFT-STATED GOS POSITION THAT LOCATION OF UN AGENCIES IS UP THE U.N.

3. POMETTA SAID GRABER TOLD HER KREISKY REPORTED WALDHEIM HAD TAKEN POSITION WITH KREISKY THAT NO TALKS SHOULD BE HELD QUOTE WITHOUT HIM UNQUOTE. AUSTRIANS ARE STILL OPPOSED TO TRIPARTITE TALKS; NO PROGRESS WAS MADE BY THE SWISS ON THIS QUESTION. GOS POSITION FAVORING SUCH TALKS IS UNCHANGES, FOR REASONS GIVEN STATTLEMEYER (REFTEL B).

4. IN COURSE OF CONVERSATION POMETTA SIAD GOS FULLY AWARE AUSTRIAN APPREHENSIONS ABOUT GOS LOBBYING AND THAT GOS IS NOT REPEAT NOT DOING SO. SHE ADDED THAT SWISS HAD ISSUED CLEAR AND UNEQUIVOCAL INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS SUBJECT.  
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